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MEMORANDUM FOR DR. KISSINGER

FROM:

Arnold Nachmanoff

SUBJECT:

Chilean Government Involvement in Narcotics Traffic

Pursuant to your written instructions on my memo of November 12 concerning possible Chilean Government involvement in the international narcotics and counterfeit currency traffic, I have taken steps--without a written directive--to obtain a report on this subject within thirty days.

I met this morning with representatives of the CIA and the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs to indicate our interest in further examining the question of the Chilean Government's involvement in narcotics and counterfeit currency traffic and or the involvement of Allende personally, or members of the Marxist coalition. I indicated that we would like the CIA to coordinate this effort, and to draw upon other intelligence agencies as required. I stressed the sensitivity of this subject and the importance of holding it very closely. A report will be submitted to me within thirty days.

You may wish to indicate to the Attorney General that priority attention is being given to developing more information on this subject.

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DOJ Review Completed.

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